

## **J-1 VISA PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT VERIFICATION FORM INSTRUCTIONS**

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this form is to verify the employment status of J-1 VISA Physicians placed by the Primary Care Office. The physicians are required to work at least three years at the sponsoring medical facility approved practice site.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

*J-1 VISA Physicians placed by the Primary Care Office (PCO) and a representative of the medical facility sponsoring the J-1 VISA Physician should complete and submit the form to the Primary Care Office every six months. The PCO will mail the form every six months to the active J-1 Physicians in the office database.*

The following should be provided on the form:

#### *Section I*

Place check in type of J-1 VISA Program.

J-1 VISA Physician should provide contact information in Section I. Information includes physician name, complete home address, and home telephone number.

The J-1 VISA Physician should also provide approval date from INS (Immigration XXX Services) or H-1 B VISA approval date.

#### *Section II*

J-1 VISA Physician should provide the following for the sponsoring medical facility practice site: facility name, complete address, telephone number, fax number, county location, and HPSA information.

#### *Section III*

J-1 VISA Physician needs to certify working 40 hours per week providing health services at medical facility listed in Section II **(must be notarized)**

#### *Section IV*

Representative of sponsoring medical facility must certify that J-1 VISA Physician is working 40 hours per week providing health services at medical facility practice site listed in Section II **(must be notarized)**.

### **OFFICE MECHANICS AND FILING**

This form is sent every six months to active J-1 Physicians in the Primary Care Office (PCO) database. The form is completed by the J-1 Physician and a representative of the sponsoring medical facility of the J-1 Physician and must be notarized. The form is returned to the PCO and is placed in the J-1 Physician's file.

### **RETENTION PERIOD**

The J-1 Physician file is kept in the PCO for seven years.

**J-1 VISA PHYSICIAN VERIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT FORM**

**SECTION I**

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PHYSICIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print

EMPLOYMENT START DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

INS J-1 Visa Waiver Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_ H-1(b) Visa Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION II**

Type of Medical Practice \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Location of Medical Practice \_\_\_\_\_

Street City State Zip Code County

HPSA (include specific County, C.T., CCD, BORO, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION III**

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO PROVIDE PRIMARY HEALTH CARE SERVICES AT THE ABOVE STATED LOCATION(S) A MINIMUM OF 40 HOURS PER WEEK.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Physician's Signature  
(Notary)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**SECTION IV**

EMPLOYER/SPONSOR:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT DOCTOR \_\_\_\_\_ BEGAN

PRACTICING AT \_\_\_\_\_ ON

AND PROVIDES A MINIMUM OF 40 HOURS PER WEEK OF PRIMARY HEALTH CARE IN THE ABOVE LISTED HPSA LOCATION(S).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Employer/Sponsor Representative (Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employer/Sponsor's Representative Signature  
(Notary)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**RETURN THIS FORM BY MAIL TO THE FOLLOWING:**

MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
OFFICE OF RURAL HEALTH & PRIMARY CARE  
570 EAST WOODROW WILSON - P. O. BOX 1700  
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI 39215-1700  
TELEPHONE #: 601-576-7216